GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
AGRICULTURE
LOK SABHA

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CASHEW CULTIVATION
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Will the Minister of AGRICULTURE be pleased to state:

(a) whether any study has been conducted for the development of cashew cultivation in view of the potential development and the increasing demand of cashew in the market World over;

(b) if so, the details thereof;

(c) whether the Union Government has any proposal to use non agricultural land for cashew cultivation;

(d) if so, the details thereof; and

(e) if not, the reasons therefor?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF AGRICULTURE (SHRI KANTI LAL BHURIA)

(a)&(b): No study has yet been conducted for the Development of Cashew Cultivation and its increasing demand.

(c) to (e): The Government has not made any proposal for cultivation of cashew in non- agricultural land.